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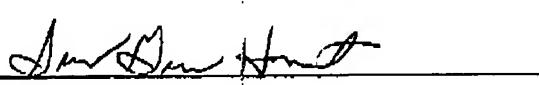
In response to the interview with Examiner Palo on December 30, 2004 and in accordance with Examiner Palo's recommendation, Applicant submits the following proposed amendment and interview summary for consideration by Examiner Palo.

**Proposed Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 1 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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